## Tax Relief for Victims of Terrorists Attacks

General Information tax notice

The Tennessee Department of Revenue is providing relief to all taxpayers – regardless of where they reside – who are directly affected by the terrorist attacks. For example, this includes relief workers, the victims on the airplanes, taxpayers whose place of employment is in a disaster area, and taxpayers with records maintained within a disaster area.

In the aftermath of Tuesday's tragedy, the Department wants to assure taxpayers, businesses, and tax practitioners that it is working to monitor, identify, and resolve any other tax administration issues as they arise or are identified.

Any returns from affected taxpayers due on any day between September 11 and October 31, 2001, will be considered to be timely filed regardless of the date received. Returns due after October 31, 2001, will be considered for similar relief on a case-by-case basis.

Taxpayers who are entitled to the relief described above should add the following notation in red ink at the top of the returns they file: "September 11, 2001 – Terrorist Attack." If they receive a notice from the Department of Revenue, they should contact us to explain why they are entitled to relief. We can be reached at (615) 253-0600 or, within Tennessee, at (800) 342-1003.

The Tennessee Department of Revenue extends its sympathies to the victims, families, friends, government workers, and others affected by this attack.

Have questions or comments? Please let us know. Contact us.

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